New York June 17. 1853 Dear Doctor, The bearer of this is a Son of Bishop Stophins of Vermons, He has a younger brother whom he wishes to place in a situation where he will get a good knowledge of Chemisty; I have taken The liberty of recommending him to you, and hope you will be able to further his views ___ James & Chilton To Defolow Three ? Suedreal College ? Ervely St. HERBARIUM COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

